

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
 WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 2000 - 0530 MDT
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL III

CURRENT SITUATION:

New large fires were reported in the Southern, Southwest and Eastern Areas. Initial attack activity was moderate in the Southern and Southwest Areas and light elsewhere. The National Interagency Coordination Center mobilized an air attack aircraft, infrared aircraft, a helicopter, radio equipment, engines, meteorological equipment, a caterer, supplies, and miscellaneous overhead. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, California, Colorado, Oklahoma, Texas, Kansas, and Mississippi.

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

VIVEASH, Santa Fe National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Bateman) is assigned. This fire is burning in ponderosa pine and mixed conifer five miles northwest of Pecos, NM. No new information was reported.

PUMPKIN, Kaibab National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Joki) is assigned. The fire is 15 miles northwest of Flagstaff, AZ. Burnout operations are being conducted to protect endangered species habitat, the lookout tower and a historic cabin. Potential for intense fire activity remains.

CERRO GRANDE COMPLEX, Bandelier National Park. An Area Command Team (Mann) and two Type II Incident Management Teams (Carr and Smith) are assigned. The fire is near Los Alamos, NM. No new information was reported.

MAGDALENA COMPLEX, Cibola National Forest. This is a complex of nine fires west of Socorro, NM, two of which are uncontained. The largest is the Gorge fire (350 acres). No new information was reported.

OUTLET, Grand Canyon National Park. A Type II Incident Management Team (McElwaine) is assigned. The fire is 25 miles south of Jacob Lake, AZ. No new information was reported.

CHANCE, Las Cruces District BLM. This fire is burning in grass and light fuels 45 miles southwest of Magdalena, NM. The fire remains active in a few areas, but poses no immediate threat to any resources or structures.

EAST, Arizona State Land Department. This lightning caused fire is five miles southeast of Willcox, AZ. Initial attack forces successfully protected a residence in the area.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOSS	LOSS	C-T-D
VIVEASH	NM	SNF	25094	80	6/9	856	25	24	8	4	NR	5.4M

PUMPKIN	AZ	KNF	13160	75	UNK	367	8	10	3	0	NR	4.8M
CERRO GRANDE	NM	BAP	47650	98	6/6	1061	29	1	5	235	NR	20.1M
MAGDALENA COMPL	NM	CIF	375	75	UNK	139	5	3	2	0	NR	32K
OUTLET	AZ	GCP	13350	100	---	258	9	6	2	0	NR	7.3M
CHANCE	NM	LCD	10000	40	UNK	75	2	6	0	0	NR	100K
EAST	AZ	AZS	405	75	UNK	30	0	0	0	0	NR	40K

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

A Type II Incident Management Team (Kearney) is staging in Gainesville, FL.

SUGAR CREEK, Florida State Division of Forestry. This human caused fire is burning in a pine plantation in Pasco County. Control problems include heavy fuels.

GRADE 30 BREAKOUT, Florida State Division of Forestry. This fire is in St. Johns County, south of Jacksonville, FL. The fire began on timber company land and has burned to the Intracoastal Waterway.

BRIGHT HOUR, Florida State Division of Forestry. This fire is in Desoto County. Rough and remote terrain are causing containment problems.

DANVILLE, Florida State Division of Forestry. The fire is located in Union County. No other information was reported.

PARKWAY, Florida State Division of Forestry. The fire is in Pasco County, north of Tampa, FL. The current threat is to commercial timber. Containment efforts are being hampered by high winds and low relative humidities.

LOUISE, Florida State Division of Forestry. This fire is in Alachua County near Gainesville, FL. No new information was reported.

MICROWAVE, Florida State Division of Forestry. This fire is located in Osceola County, FL. No new information was reported.

BLUE HEAD RANCH I, Florida State Division of Forestry. This fire is in Highlands County, FL. No new information was reported.

BLUE HEAD RANCH II, Florida State Division of Forestry. This fire is in Highlands County, FL. No new information was reported.

MUSE AREA, Florida State Division of Forestry. These fires are in Glades County, FL. No new information was reported.

BUNDY LAKE, Florida State Division of Forestry. The fire is burning in heavy fuels 15 miles northeast of Gainesville, FL. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

MORRIS BRIDGE ROAD, Florida State Division of Forestry. The fire is north of Tampa, FL in Pasco County. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

CRANBERRY, Florida State Division of Forestry. This fire is in Sarasota County, FL. No new information was reported. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
SUGAR CREEK	FL	FLS	350	50	NR	10	0	7	3	0	NR	NR
GRADE 30 BREAKO	FL	FLS	1500	40	NR	15	0	0	1	0	NR	NR
BRIGHT HOUR	FL	FLS	1100	95	NR	9	0	0	0	0	NR	NR
DANVILLE	FL	FLS	500	NR	NR	NR	NR	5	NR	0	NR	NR
PARKWAY	FL	FLS	125	75	NR	NR	0	2	0	0	NR	NR
LOUISE	FL	FLS	4000	90	NR	60	0	12	2	0	100K	NR
MICROWAVE	FL	FLS	5000	90	NR	14	0	4	0	0	NR	NR
BLUE HEAD RANCH	FL	FLS	200	50	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
BLUE HEAD RANCH	FL	FLS	150	50	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
MUSE AREA	FL	FLS	600	70	NR	6	NR	NR	NR	0	NR	NR
BUNDY LAKE	FL	FLS	125	80	NR	19	0	7	1	0	NR	NR
MORRIS BRIDGE R	FL	FLS	600	70	NR	10	0	1	1	0	NR	NR
CRANBERRY	FL	FLS	175	95	UNK	NR	2	0	0	0	NR	NR
WATER TOWER	FL	FLS	680	100	---	34	0	2	1	0	NR	NR
HOOVER	FL	FLS	120	100	---	NR	4	0	1	0	NR	NR

WESTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRES:

BUCK SPRINGS, Humbolt-Toiyabe National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Burdick) is assigned. This fire is burning in the Mt. Clarkson Wilderness ten miles east of Pahrump, NV. Observed fire behavior included isolated torching and spotting in heavy fuels. Crews are making good progress toward containment.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
BUCK SPRINGS	NV	HTF	2000	75	6/8	547	24	11	4	0	NR	860K

EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

RICE LAKE, Michigan State Forestry. The fire is burning in pine fuels 15 miles northeast of Houghton, MI. The fire is threatening approximately 20 lakeside homes near Lake Superior. Six tractor plows, five dozers, two airtankers, and a lead plane are committed to the incident.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
RICE LAKE	MI	MIS	400	0	UNK	40	0	6	0	0	NR	NR

OUTLOOK:

*** A RED FLAG WARNING IS POSTED IN SOUTHERN NEVADA FOR STRONG WINDS AND LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITIES ***

*** A RED FLAG WARNING IS POSTED IN THE INLAND PANHANDLE AREA OF FLORIDA FOR LOW AFTERNOON RELATIVE HUMIDITIES ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN NORTHWEST ARIZONA AND ALL OF UTAH TODAY AND TOMORROW FOR STRONG SOUTHWEST WINDS AND LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITIES ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN NORTHEAST AND WEST CENTRAL FLORIDA AND PORTIONS OF THE PANHANDLE FOR LOW AFTERNOON RELATIVE HUMIDITIES ***

Southern Utah and southern Nevada will be sunny and windy. Temperatures will be 75 to 90 for most of the area, with desert temperatures reaching 100 degrees. Winds will be west to southwest at 20 to 30 mph with gusts up to 40 mph. Relative humidities will be from 5 to 15 percent.

Florida will be partly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms in the southern part of the state. High temperatures will be in the mid 80's to the mid 90's. Winds will be northwest at 10 to 15 mph. Minimum relative humidities will range from 30 to 50 percent, except in the south where humidities will be 50 to 70 percent.

New Mexico will be partly cloudy with isolated thunderstorms. The thunderstorms will be dry across the northwest part of the state. High temperatures will be in the 80's and 90's. Winds will be west to southwest at 10 to 20 mph and gusty. Minimum relative humidities will be 10 to 25 percent.

Arizona will be mostly sunny in the north, and partly cloudy with isolated thunderstorms in the south. High temperatures will be 75 to 85 in the mountains and up to 115 in the deserts. Winds will be west to southwest at 15 to 30 mph. Minimum afternoon relative humidities will be 5 to 20 percent.

Southern Colorado will be partly cloudy with isolated thunderstorms. High temperatures will be 75 to 85 in the mountains and 85 to 95 at lower elevations. Minimum relative humidities will be 10 to 20 percent.

Southern California will be mostly sunny with high temperatures in the 60's and 70's along the coast, 80 to 90 in the interior and up to 112 degrees in the deserts. Winds will be west to southwest at 10 to 20 mph. Minimum relative humidities will be 40 to 70 percent on the coast, 15 to 30 percent in the interior valleys and 5 to 15 percent in the desert areas.

A red flag warning is posted today for strong winds and low relative humidity in southcentral and southeastern Alaska. A fire weather watch is posted for strong winds and low relative humidity in the Upper Yukon region of Alaska.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES					4		4
	ACRES					0		0
NORTHWEST	FIRES					6		6
	ACRES					1		1
CA-NORTH	FIRES					13	1	14
	ACRES					88	0	88
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	1					1	2
	ACRES	0					250	250
NORTHERN	FIRES					4	1	5
	ACRES					1	0	1
GB-EAST	FIRES		3			1	2	6
	ACRES		5			0	46	51
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	20	1			6	25	52
	ACRES	24	10000			13	11	10048
ROCKY MTN	FIRES		1			1	3	5
	ACRES		2			1	1	4
EASTERN	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					400		400
SOUTHERN	FIRES					213		213
	ACRES					5138		5138
TOTAL	FIRES	21	5	0	0	249	33	308
	ACRES	24	10007	0	0	5642	308	15981

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	1		1	2	155	1	160
	ACRES	6		700	2	537	0	1245
NORTHWEST	FIRES	32	21	4		153	56	266
	ACRES	260	1730	100		618	27	2735
CA-NORTH	FIRES	14	1			391	77	483
	ACRES	46	1			788	3779	4614
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	8	13		7	947	156	1131
	ACRES	21	67		8	1863	1294	3253
NORTHERN	FIRES	521	5	16		376	68	986
	ACRES	5444	30	1621		22552	126	29773
GB-EAST	FIRES	9	63		2	16	47	137
	ACRES	566	4802		0	424	190	5982
GB-WEST	FIRES	5	27		1		30	63
	ACRES	60	433		0		51	544
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	388	68	15	22	736	484	1713
	ACRES	9867	29682	16140	8933	239277	120353	424252

ROCKY MTN	FIRES	339	64	15	6	267	102	793
	ACRES	11961	3749	517	6492	25718	2421	50858
EASTERN	FIRES	760			25	7880	387	9052
	ACRES	15802			519	80771	15346	112438
SOUTHERN	FIRES	20		37	43	28093	736	28929
	ACRES	3754		6017	2990	514449	27400	554610
TOTALS	FIRES	2097	262	88	108	39014	2144	43713
	ACRES	47787	40494	25095	18944	886997	170987	1190304
TEN YEAR AVERAGE	FIRES							35678
TEN YEAR AVERAGE	ACRES							647975

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1		3		4
	ACRES			125		379		504
NORTHWEST	FIRES	12	16	25			153	206
	ACRES	4636	3387	5022			19176	32221
CA-NORTH	FIRES		2	2	1		117	122

ALASKA										
NORTHWEST			2	2		1			2	2
CA-NORTH	3									
CA-SOUTH	2	14	20	5		3			10	5
NORTHERN	1		2		1					
GB-EAST	11	2	17	6	4		1		66	
GB-WEST	14	10	5	6	4				44	40
SOUTHWEST	95	3	47	23	17	10	1		419	185
ROCKY MTN	3	2	7		2	2			3	
EASTERN				6					1	
SOUTHERN	1	16	7	76		23			21	110
TOTAL	130	47	107	124	28	39	2	0	566	342

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